Technology Services Board of the Department of Technology Services to Hold a Public Meeting on March 29, 2006

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The Technology Services Board of the Department of Technology Services will hold a public meeting on March 29, 2006 at 10 a.m. in the Coastal Hearing Room of the CalEPA Building, at 1001 I Street in Sacramento. A copy of the Agenda is available online at: http://www.dts.ca.gov/tsb/pdf/PublicNoticeAgenda.pdf

This meeting of the Technology Services Board will be web cast live and may be accessed from the "What's New" page of the Department of Technology Services website at: http://www.dts.ca.gov The Board will consider the creation of both an Audit and a Services subcommittee, and the adoption of rate setting guidelines. Also, Department of Technology Services Director P.K. Agarwal will report on consolidation efforts and provide updates on critical projects.

As recommended by the California Performance Review Commission, the Department of Technology Services and the Technology Services Board were created by the Governor's Reorganization Plan #2 which consolidated the Health and Human Services Agency Data Center, the Stephen P. Teale Data Center and the Department of General Services-Office of Network Services, within the State and Consumer Services Agency.

The Technology Services Board provides governance and guidance to the Department of Technology Services to ensure oversight and customer orientation.

The Board is comprised of thirteen members and include a designee of the Governor, as Chair, the Director of Finance, as Vice-Chair, the State Controller, the Secretaries of the Department of Food and Agriculture, Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, California Environmental Protection Agency, Health and Human Services Agency, Labor and Workforce Development Agency, Resources Agency, State and Consumer Services Agency, Department of Veterans Affairs, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, and the Director of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services.